

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 214  
By Beavers

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Beth Hatcher, 2005  
Salutatorian of Hermitage Springs High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Beth Hatcher is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2005 graduating class at Hermitage Springs High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Beth has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Hatcher has earned an exemplary grade point average while maintaining memberships in the Future Farmers of America, FCCLA, 4-H, and the Beta Club; her academic excellence garnered recognition in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, deeply involved in her community, Ms. Hatcher has participated in the Math-a-Thon, Palm Sunday papers, and canned food drives and has prepared baked goods for the local fire department, sent care packages to children living overseas, and enabled for the residents of area nursing homes to enjoy their own Christmas tree; and

WHEREAS, Beth Hatcher's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to attend Tennessee Technological University in the fall; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Hatcher's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, James and Gina Hatcher, her siblings, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Beth's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2005 Hermitage Springs High School Salutatorian, Beth Hatcher, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.